



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kenzo Akagiri et al.

Serial No. 08/159,122

Filed: November 30, 1993

For: Apparatus For Compressing and  
Expanding a Digital Input Signal

Group Art Unit: ~~2603~~ 2614

Examiner: T. Bocure

**AMENDMENT**

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated 24 February 1995, please amend the application as follows:

**In the Drawings**

The applicants respectfully request the Examiner's approval of the proposed changes to the drawing of Figures 15 and 16 indicated in red ink.

**In the Claims**

Please cancel claims 23 and 48 without prejudice, add new claims 59-70, and amend the remaining claims as follows:

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